

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application : Zuheir L. Audeh et al.  
Application No. : 09/848,777  
Filed : May 4, 2001  
For : COLLOID COMPOSITIONS FOR SOLID PHASE  
BIOMOLECULAR ANALYTICAL, PREPARATIVE AND  
IDENTIFICATION SYSTEMS  
Examiner : Kartic Padmanabhan  
Attorney's Docket : CBR-001XX

Group Art Unit: 1641

\*\*\*\*\*  
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile  
to Examiner Kartic Padmanabhan, Group Art Unit 1641, Fax No. (703) 746  
5402, on Oct. 16, 2002.

By:

Holliday C. Heine  
Holliday C. Heine Ph.D.  
Registration No. 34,346  
Attorney for Applicant(s)

\*\*\*\*\*

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above-identified application  
as follows. For the Examiner's convenience we have attached a  
marked-up version of the amendments made herewith.

-1-

WEINGARTEN, SCHURGIN, GAGNEBIN & LEBOVICI LLP  
TEN POST OFFICE SQUARE  
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02109

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW  
PATENTS, TRADEMARKS AND COPYRIGHTS

TELEPHONE  
(617) 542-2290  
FACSIMILE  
(617) 451-0313

FAX RECEIVED

OCT 17 2002

GROUP 1600

THOMAS P. GRODT  
RICHARD E. GAMACHE  
CHI SUK KIM

OF COUNSEL  
ARTHUR S. MORGENSTERN

JOSEPH WEINGARTEN  
(1919-1984)

STANLEY M. SCHURGIN  
CHARLES L. GAGNEBIN III  
VICTOR B. LEBOVICI  
BEVERLY E. HJORTH  
HOLLIDAY C. HEINE, Ph.D.  
GORDON R. MORIARTY  
JAMES F. THOMPSON  
DAVID A. DAGG  
LIN B. OLSEN

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

OFFICIAL

DATE: October 16, 2002

TO: Examiner Katric Padmanabhan

Fax No.: (703) 746 5402

Group Art Unit: 1641

FROM: Holliday C. Heine, Ph.D.

No. of pages transmitted  
(including this page) 6

Our File: CBR-001XX

Time:

Your Ref: Appl. No. 09/848,777  
Filed: May 4, 2001

Sent by: Rose

A confirmation copy of this transmission will not be mailed unless  
the following is checked: [ ]

## MESSAGE

PLEASE DELIVER DIRECTLY TO:  
EXAMINER Padmanabhan, (703) 305 0509  
GROUP ART UNIT NO: 1614

## FOR ENTRY

Enclosed for filing please find a: Response to Restriction Requirement  
and Preliminary Amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to Charge Deposit  
Account No: 23-0804 for any additional filing fees associated  
with this communication or credit any overpayment.

*Holliday C. Heine*  
Attorney for Applicant: Holliday C. Heine, Ph.D.  
Registration No. 34,346

THIS MESSAGE MAY CONTAIN CONFIDENTIAL OR PRIVILEGED INFORMATION INTENDED ONLY FOR THE  
PERSON(S) IDENTIFIED ABOVE. IF IT HAS BEEN RECEIVED AT ANY OTHER PLACE OR HAS NOT BEEN  
CLEARLY RECEIVED, PLEASE CALL THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED SENDING PARTY COLLECT FOR  
INSTRUCTIONS. DO NOT SHOW OR DISTRIBUTE THIS MESSAGE TO ANYONE OTHER THAN THE INTENDED  
RECIPIENT(S). THANK YOU.

Application No.: 09/848,777  
 Filed: May 4, 2001  
 Group Art Unit: 1641

WEINGARTEN, SCHURGIN, GAGNEBIN & LEBOVICI LLP  
 Ten Post Office Square  
 Boston, Massachusetts 02109  
 Telephone: (617) 542-2290  
 Telecopier: (617) 451-0313

Date: October 16, 2002

Via Facsimile

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Attorney  
 Docket No.: CBR-001XX

Sir:

In re application of: **Zuheir L. Audeh et al.**

Entitled: **COLLOID COMPOSITIONS FOR SOLID PHASE BIOMOLECULAR ANALYTICAL,  
 PREPARATIVE AND IDENTIFICATION SYSTEMS**

Transmitted herewith is an **Response to Restriction Requirement and Preliminary Amendment** in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$ ) per §1.17(e).
- ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ per §1.116.
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for \_\_\_\_\_ month is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$ ) per §1.17.
- ☒ In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$ ) for the cost of such extension.

☐ \_\_\_\_\_ is hereby appointed Associate Attorney by:  
 Registration No.:

Attorney of Record:  
 Registration No.:

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent	1 - 6	= -0-	x \$84.00 =	-0-
Total	24 - 58	= -0-	x \$18.00 =	-0-
			+ \$280.00 =	-0-
[ ] Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)				-0-
SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				-0-
Small Entity filing, divide by 2. Small Entity status must be asserted.				-0-
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				-0-

☒ No additional fee. ☐ The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$ ) for the cost of same.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to Examiner Kartic Padmanabhan, Group Art Unit 1641, Fax No. (703) 746 5402, on Oct. 16, 2002 Holliday C. Heine

Attorney of Record: Holliday C. Heine, Ph.D.  
 Registration No.: 34,346

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE  
 HCH/raw 280991-1

Received from <16174510313> at 10/16/02 4:25:31 PM [Eastern Daylight Time]